

Send in news of your boy so his friends in uniform may keep in touch with him. Phone 784.

Dr. Bob Wilson has returned to Peterborough after spending 24 days in town with his wife and family.

Cin. Arthur Brymer, who arrived home from overseas early this month, has returned home after visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hunter, at Plattsburgh, Ont., for a week.

Sgt. J. P. Arlitt, son of Mrs. R. E. Rhinehart, Arden Ave., was featured as a cornet soloist recently at a concert presented by four R.C.A.F. bands at Lincoln's Inn Fields in England. Sgt. Arlitt played Sullivan's "The Lost Chord." It was estimated that close to 3,000 people crowded the concert area to hear the program.

LAC M. W. Broughton has returned to Armstrong after spending two weeks furlough with his wife and family.

Pte. Arnot Longhurst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Longhurst, broke his wrist in a fall from an army truck at Brockville recently. Pte. Longhurst is attached to a demonstration platoon at that station.

Cpl. Gordon F. Williams, brother of Mrs. Fred Lewis, Newmarket, arrived at Ottawa on Tuesday from Halifax. Cpl. Williams has served overseas about three years.

Pte. Johnston Sheard, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Sheard, 23 Prospect Ave., Newmarket, who arrived home July 12 from overseas, is spending two weeks in Truro, N.S., before going to the Pacific.

Cin. Tom Druery, Kamloops, B.C., is spending a furlough with his family in Newmarket and Toronto.

**HAS LEAVE**



L-Tel. Frank Bailie, R.C.N.V.R., spent a few days' leave with relatives and friends in town recently. He has volunteered for the Pacific theatre and reports back to St. Hyacinthe, Que., for training. It was his first leave in almost two years. He has been serving for four years.

**SERVICES MONDAY FOR  
JOHN ROBERT WELCH**

After an illness of two weeks, John Robert Welch died in York County hospital Friday, July 20, of pneumonia. He was in his 36th year.

The son of the late Rosella Yorke and the late Edwin Welch, he was born in Uxbridge township June 8, 1910. He married the former Mable Irene Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Thompson, Uxbridge, on Aug. 3, 1935.

He was employed by Stephen Rose as a truck driver and prior to that, had been employed by Fred S. Thompson.

Surviving are his widow, two sons, Kenneth Edward, aged six, and Robert George Dale, aged one; two brothers, Wilfred of Newmarket, and Alvin of Toronto; and three sisters, Mrs. George Newton (Irene), Mrs. G. Johnston (Hazel), and Mrs. Wm. Newton (Gertrude), all of Newmarket.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Henry Cotton at Roadhouse and Rose's chapel on Monday. Interment was in Newmarket cemetery.

Pallbearers were Wm. Newton, Newton Thompson, Lorne Kefner, Earby Ruthven, Wilfred Needler, Fred S. Thompson.

**ATTEND CAMP**

Misses Jean Lewis, Mary Blackwell, Joan Monkman, Barbara Gilroy, Barbara Waller, Lynette Waller, Joan Boval, Ann Vandenberg, Phyllis Stickland, Jean Denne, Patsy Dunn, Pauline Proctor and Marie Moore are attending the intermediate girls' camp at Duck's Point. H. E. Gilroy, C. Wass, Robert Lewis and Wm. Denne have provided transportation for the three girls' camps.

**HAS OPERATION**

Mr. Frank Eakins, 26 Charles St., Newmarket, is progressing favorably after undergoing an operation at St. Michael's hospital, Toronto, a week ago last Monday. Mr. Eakins will undergo another operation on Monday.

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Social and personal news will be found on page 8.

**MANY ATTEND  
SERVICES FOR  
J. E. NESBITT**

Funeral services were held Thursday at St. Paul's Anglican church for J. E. Nesbitt, former mayor of Newmarket, who died suddenly last Tuesday. The ser-



vices were conducted by Rev. G. H. Johnson, M.A., D.D. The church was crowded beyond capacity and many old friends of Mr. Nesbitt followed the procession to the cemetery.

In attendance at the church were members of the Newmarket Lions club of which Mr. Nesbitt had been a charter member. Also attending the services were members of his lodge and members of the Newmarket town council.

Active pallbearers were J. E. B. Wilson, Arthur West, Gordon Ough, Roland Hill, Earl Steele and George Nesbitt. Honorary pallbearers were Andrew Davis, Dr. S. J. Boyd, W. H. Eves, Dr. L. W. Dales, J. O. Little and Fred A. Lundy.

Members of the Lions club lined the path from the church door to the hearse and later from the hearse to the grave. At the close of the graveside service, members of the club filed by the grave and each dropped a sprig of evergreen on the casket.

The service was simple with Dr. Johnson delivering a tribute to Mr. Nesbitt. The church choir was in attendance and sang the favorite hymns of the deceased including "Abide With Me."

**BOWLING "SPECIAL"  
SCHEDULED FRIDAY**

A bowling "special" on Friday night at 7:30 has been announced by the Newmarket Lawn Bowling club. Two competitions will be played. All new bowlers will play three 15-end games of singles for a special prize donated by C. F. Willis.

The other competition is the club doubles of three ten-end games. Draws for both contests will be made on the green.

On Saturday, an open tournament for mixed doubles will be bowed. The tournament will start at 2 p.m.

The following is the result of the draw for Friday night: doubles: Rose and Manning vs Luck and Budd; Bosworth and Breerton vs Doyle and partner; Bastedo and partner vs Cain and McCaffery; Vaughan and Little vs Cain and partner; Brown and Murdison vs VanderVoort and Willis; Law and Jolley vs Boyd and Flett; Gibney and Smith vs Helmer and partner;

Singles: Best vs Galbraith; Bender vs Wright; Bair vs. Giovannelli; Lyons vs Gibson.

**BOUND FOR EAST**



Pte. Harold Smart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elsworth Smart, Main St., Newmarket, is spending leave with his parents before reporting for Pacific training.

**Halifax Explosions Told  
In Letter To Queensville**

It was by the "grace of God" that the main arsenal was saved for had the fire reached it, the explosion would have been worse than the one in 1917, Mrs. June Fraser, Halifax, wrote in a letter to her mother, Mrs. P. Clarkson, Queensville, describing the fire that swept the Halifax docks and arsenals area recently.

"It started about 6:30 p.m. and sounded like someone beating a big drum," she wrote. "All of a sudden, we heard the most terrific noise and the house just seemed to jump right up." Mrs. Fraser writes that in the main arsenal, there were 15,000 depth charges and high explosives including a newly developed explosive called tetral. "If the fire had reached that one, there were enough explosives there to have cleared out a good deal of Halifax," she said.

Text of the letter follows: "I don't know whether you would be alarmed about us or not because I don't know how much there was in your paper up there about the explosions. They certainly didn't make too much of them here. But no one knows just how serious they were and we weren't there for the worst one either. It was just by the grace of God that the greatest of all the arsenals was saved. If the fire had reached that one, there were enough explosives there to clean out a good deal of Halifax and it would have been a lot worse than the great explosion in 1917. There were 15,000 depth charges of 300 lbs. each besides other high explosives,

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**Parkers, Navy Lead Camp  
Down Road To Defeat**

By BERNIE GANTNER

Another game and another loss. That was the fate of the camp softball nine as they did their utmost to impress a Lions club benefit audience at Stuart Scott field last night in an exhibition affair with Mother Parkers of the Toronto Davisville league. For the fifth straight time, the soldiers were knocked into oblivion, rocketing them further below the .500 mark in the won and lost column. The score was 9-4.

What was expected to be a very interesting evening of softball entertainment turned out to be a sad reminder of the camp's two previous home starts. Not once during the disappointing contest did the Redmen show a semblance of their true form, much to the disgust of the many who took in the exhibition.

It was one of those things. In the throes of a very disastrous slump, the camp was guilty of shoddy fielding throughout the engagement, committing no less than six miscues. This handicap was mainly responsible for putting the visiting team out in front and once there, they refused to relinquish their commanding lead.

Parkers were right on the bit from the opening pitch until the last man was retired in the ninth. Excellent support was given to Red Noonan, starting hurler, and Joe Buda, who relieved him in the seventh. After the tea outfit had jumped into the lead with a four-run rally in the second frame with the aid of only two scratch infield hits and a lapse of the locals fielding, the Redmen kept picking away at Noonan's offerings until it was 5-3 at the end of the fifth.

Once the losers found the range, Parkers lost little time in yanking Noonan in favor of Joe Buda, outstanding pitcher of the Davisville loop. Buda tolled for three frames, striking out in the seventh. He allowed but two hits during his short stay on the mound. In the meantime, the visitors increased their margin, the final tabulation showing a 9-4 count with the camp on the short end.

Parkers played heads-up ball, out-playing the camp in every department. On the night's performance, they had a distinct edge. Tyson, Murden, King, Taylor and Gantner kicked in with some very damaging errors which didn't help the cause a trifle. The pitching both by King and McComb was woefully weak and will need improving in order for the club to hit a winning stride once again. Don Crozier and Nick Volpe were best for Parkers while Bep Guldin and Johnny Cullinan starred for the losers.

**DONATES DOLLAR**

Mrs. A. Carter has made a donation of \$1 to the Newmarket Veterans' Association Soldiers' Comfort fund.

NEWMARKET, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JULY 26TH, 1945

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**BLOOD CLINIC AUG. 17**

A Red Cross blood donor clinic will be held in Trinity United church Sunday school rooms on Friday, Aug. 17. Prospective donors are asked to phone the clerk's office 105 or phone 258 for an appointment. While the war in Europe is over, it is pointed out by Red Cross officials that the need continues, both for the fighting in the Pacific and to help those still suffering in military and civilian hospitals in Europe.

**WPTB ORDER  
HALTS NOTICE  
OF EVICTIONS**

Well-behaved tenants of self-contained dwellings cannot be evicted, not even if the landlord wants the dwelling as a residence for himself or for a member of his family.

Hon. J. L. Ilsley, Dominion finance minister, announced this order by the prices board on July 24. It is for an indefinite period. Outstanding notices to vacate self-contained dwellings are suspended and no new notices to vacate may be issued until further notice.

Back of this drastic order, which is not claimed to be any solution for the overall housing shortage, lies the necessity of relieving the anxiety and discomfort of many servicemen and their families.

Only the provision of a substantial amount of new low-rental housing can relieve the general shortage. Mayors and other officials of large municipalities are mostly reported as commenting favorably on the prices board order.

Almost without exception, however, they plead the necessity of an accelerated and enlarged house building program in their respective municipalities.

Mr. Ilsley cautions all tenants to take note of the exceptions to the new order.

A special three month notice to vacate may be given by or on behalf of discharged service members to enable them to re-occupy their dwellings in which they were living at the time of enlistment.

The order gives no protection to the ill-behaved tenant, one who is obnoxious, fails to pay rent, damages the accommodations or fails to keep to the terms of his contract. The order does not apply to light housekeeping, boarders or roomers, summer cottagers, or a tenant who holds a lease for a fixed term of five months or less.

The tennis rackets have a rather interesting history. They were bought Friday through the classified columns of the Era and Express sent by boat and train to the hotel on Saturday, used Saturday night, rescued from the fire and sent back to Newmarket on Sunday.

**Orioles Score 8-3 Win  
As Camp Girls Falter**

By ORVILLE GANTNER

With Phil Osborne's seven-hit pitching and their infield clicking on all fours, Orioles took their last scheduled game with the Army by a score of 8-3. Orioles 12 hits, Army 7 hits; that just about tells the story. It was another well-played game with Schroder and company right in there battling until the last dog was hung. Schroder pitched well enough but his pals kept popping Osborne's high floater up in the air to the infielders.

With the exception of a three-base clout by Schroder and two solo singles by little Sue Kalagian, Army's seven hits were very scratchy. Clarke and McCrory are in a prolonged batting slump and the rest of the team are not hitting their weight.

Orioles are beginning to show results from their batting drill. Mary Osborne snapped out of her slump with two for three, one a triple which drove in two runs. Ruth Armitage had two for four. "Happy" Bennett and Phil Pegg stole the show in the field. Bennett threw out Mulhead on a fielding gem. Pegg pulled down some hard smashes in centre field; she is fast developing into the league's best outfielder. Forham and Butler handled the game very satisfactorily.

On Monday evening the C.W.A.C. squeezed Cardinals out by a 10-0 count in a game that featured smart hurling by Ann Schroder and sensational fielding by Winnie DeLaHaye. Despite this set-back, Cardinals are still flying high in the league standing. However, they are not yet in by any means.

**GARDEN PARTY  
HELD IN ARENA  
BY ST. JOHN'S**

Winners of the draws at the St. John's church garden party held in the Memorial Arena last night are Jos. Brammer, silver fox fur; Chas. Simmons, Mary Morrison, Keswick, F. McConney, Toronto, Ken, Casservey, Orillia, Lena Paxton, Kettleby, E. Claremont, Fort Francis, Fern Burnett, R. R. 2, F. M. Phelan, Toronto, Mrs. H. Brice, all won five dollar prizes; Mrs. Stewart Martin, Mrs. James Lee and Mrs. Wm. Townsley, all of Newmarket, won ten dollar attendance prizes.

The garden party had been originally planned for last Wednesday on the church grounds but rainy weather forced its postponement. To guard against this misfortune the second time, the party was held in the Newmarket arena. This is the first garden party held in the arena and the sponsors expressed themselves as quite satisfied with the accommodations.

Rev. Dr. W. D. Mackle said that the arena more than fulfilled its function as the scene for a garden party. "With some tidying up around the arena and planting of evergreen trees, the arena would be made most presentable," he said. He offered any assistance that might be required. "The arena has great possibilities for community functions and more attention should be directed towards its use," he added. He suggested a sign giving directions to the arena be erected.

The money raised at the garden party will be used to provide the church with an iron fireman and to meet the taxes of the rectory.

**MR. AND MRS. F. GILL  
ESCAPE HOTEL FIRE**

Mr. and Mrs. F. Gill, son-in-law and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Cotton, Newmarket, were two of the many guests and hotel staff members who were forced to flee the burning hotel, Beaumaris, on Lake Muskoka early Sunday morning.

Mr. Gill was awakened by the sound of the flames crackling in the kitchen. He and Mrs. Gill helped awaken the guests and though they lost a trunk, were able to save some of their clothes and, incidentally, a pair of tennis rackets.

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Gnr. Shier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shier, Prospect Ave. A member of the Royal Canadian Artillery, he enlisted in September, 1943, and went overseas in January of this year. He served in Holland and Belgium and was in Germany at VE-Day. He has a 30-day leave before being posted for Pacific training.

Tpr. Norton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Norton. He went overseas 16 months ago and arrived home Tuesday. A member of the Canadian Armored Corps, he trained at Toronto, Simcoe and Dundern before going overseas.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Edwards, Pte. Edwards was overseas three years as a member of the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps. He enlisted early in 1942 and after four months training, went overseas. Arriving Tuesday, he has 30 days' leave before reporting for Pacific training.

Pte. Bishop, overseas a year, was attached to a hospital in England. He is the son of Mrs. Oscar Watson, Ontario St. A member of the Royal Canadian Medical Corps, he is on a 33-day leave before reporting for Pacific training. While in England, he married Ivy Goff and is expecting his English bride in Canada within a few days.

Sgt. Wrightman enlisted Sept. 14, 1940, and went overseas with the Royal Regiment of Canada in June of 1941. He transferred from that regiment to a reconnaissance unit shortly before Dieppe. He saw action in Europe, taking part in the advance through France, Belgium, Holland and Germany. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wrightman, he is spending his leave with his parents at their home on Amherst St.

Tpr. McClymont is the son of Mrs. Wm. McClymont and the late Mr. McClymont. He enlisted in July, 1942, and went overseas in March, 1944. He served in Italy and later in France and Germany. He has a 30-day leave before reporting for Pacific training.

RENEWS OLD MEMORIES

Colonel M. Stern (Mossie Stern) passed through town on Friday of last week en route to Cleveland after holidaying with his son and his son's father-in-law on Georgian Bay. He drove through Bogartown and saw the old schoolhouse which he attended about 50 years ago, when boarding at a home for two years, recuperating from malaria fever.

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**IN HOSPITAL**  
Harry Goodman is confined to hospital with a throat infection.

CIRCULATION  
for three months ended March 31,  
1945





EAST GWILLIMBURY  
TO SELL PROPERTY  
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The regular July meeting of the East Gwillimbury council was held in Sharon Hall. The members were all present.

The reeve was given authority to sign contract for gravel delivered by M. L. Pegg. The clerk was authorized to make application for 75 barrels fuel oil.

The reeve was instructed to sign a warrant authorizing the treasurer to sell all properties in arrears of taxes for three years or more.

The gravel contractors and pit workers are to be paid half monthly.

The following accounts were passed for payment: Mary G. Watson, care of indigent, \$32.50; telephone accounts, \$30.20; Geo. Marles, fence viewer, \$5; F. Cunningham, fence viewer, \$5; E. Pollard, fence viewer, \$5; hospital accounts, \$60.75; office supplies, \$1.62; T.B. refills, \$6; sheep claim, \$10; Vern Kellington, sheep claim, \$23; Newmarket Era and Express, \$2.63; clerk's salary, \$125; L. J. Farr, relief salary, \$10; J. E. Jardine, salary, \$90; J. E. Jardine, weed inspector, \$50; W. Theaker, insurance, \$25.

Relief accounts: Thos. Andrews, \$7; W. R. Steeper, \$6; Geo. Price, \$1.50; Kenneth Ross, \$23.16; x-ray, \$2; Robert Davis, \$42.60; David Green, \$24.50; E. P. Crittenden, \$10; L. E. Hamilton, \$24; H. Molynieux, \$34; S. R. Goodwin, \$16; Ellerby Farr, \$6; Elmer Fry, \$6; Village of Sutton, \$48.00; Twp. North Gwillimbury, \$13.40.

Road accounts: gasoline and oil, \$36.33; express, 60 cents; supplies, \$17.94; repairs, \$324.87; fence bonus, \$74; fuel oil, \$64.07; telephone tolls, \$12.40; fuel oil, \$48.80; drawing fill, \$12; bridge timber, \$125; pay list, \$954.50; superintendent, \$115.

MOVE TO NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stickwood are moving to their new home at 20 Victoria Ave. this week. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Vandenburg have bought the house which is being vacated by Mr. Stickwood and are moving next week.

Classifieds usually bring results.

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WATCHING THE TREE GROW



SHARON

The United church service will be held in the park on Sunday evening at the usual time, 7.30. There will be a special speaker and music, weather permitting. There will be no services in the United church during the month of August and there will be no Sunday school Aug. 5 and Aug. 12.

Mrs. M. Griffith has gone to Oakville to visit her daughter.

Miss Marjorie Hall of East General hospital staff is spending three weeks' holidays at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Fry spent the weekend in Haliburton.

Mr. John Tate of Gormley is spending a few days around Sharon. She attended the birthday party on Monday for Mrs. Wreggit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fletcher of Newmarket visited Mr. and Mrs. W. Stevens on Sunday.

Miss Beatrice Gibney of Holt visited Mr. and Mrs. Alan Shaw on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hall visited Mr. and Mrs. Rye at Keswick on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenny of Toronto are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. W. Kenny.

Mr. and Mrs. Lang, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Lang's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Liholt.

Mr. Eugene Kiteley, Elmaville, Misses Phyllis and Gwen Kiteley, Helen Newton and Helen Coffey, all of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. Eugene Kiteley.

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**RETURNS HOME**  
Mrs. Jas. Hiller, who has been in York County hospital for two weeks following a serious operation, returned home on Sunday. Mrs. Hiller is getting along nicely.

**Era and Express classifieds bring finder and loser together.**

Before the Jap invasion, Netherlands East Indies produced annually 92 percent of the world's output of quinine.

**29 CONTESTANTS HAVE  
CORRECT ANSWERS**

Twenty-nine contestants sent in correct answers to last week's classified ad contest. Others were either late or incorrect.

Mrs. Flossie Campbell at Bowser's grocery store drew the five winners. They are: Mrs. F. Carley, Helen McBride, 59 Prospect Ave., Mrs. Ted Bailie, 6 Ellen St., Mrs. H. J. Lowe, all of Newmarket, and Mrs. Wm. Groombridge, Schomberg.

These five winners have their choice of the program at the Strand theatre on Tuesday, July 31, when Dorothy McGuire, James Dunn and Joan Blondell star in *A Tree Grows in Brooklyn*, or on Thursday, Aug. 2, when Veronica Lake and Sonny Tufts star in *Bring on the Co-Eds*, and Edward G. Robinson stars in *Tiger Shark*. They may pick up their passes any evening at the Strand theatre.

The correct answers were: timothy, trailer, electric, particulars, currants, serial, accredited, kittens, combination, gasoline. **THIS WEEK'S CONTEST**

Five double passes to the Strand theatre will again be given this week to the winners of the contest. They may see Robert Young, Dorothy McGuire and Herbert Marshall in *The Enchanted Cottage* and *The Big Bonanza* on Tuesday, Aug. 7, or Alan Ladd and Gail Russell and William Demarest in *Salty O'Rourke* and *When Strangers Marry* on Thursday, Aug. 9.

Only one entry will be accepted from any one household or family. The entry must be in the contestant's own handwriting and must reach The Era and Express office by 9:30 Tuesday morning.

Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper two and a half inches by four and a half inches (2 1/2" x 4").

The ten classified words this week are scrambled. Here they are: EEMPMSTLNI, EEEELNTCK, DTUTASIE, REASAPLTUCI, LHEERE, NIDIOCOTN, ZSEEHALFC, YFMLEDEO, HAWNSI-G, YQLIATU.

**UNION STREET**

The next regular meeting of the Union Street Women's Institute will be held at the home of Mrs. Ethel McClure on Thursday evening, Aug. 2, at 8 o'clock. Motto of the meeting is "Some people are always too busy to do anything but talk about how busy they are." Roll-call will be do's and don'ts for canning. A layette shower will be held. Topic is social welfare. Members of the program committee are Mrs. Archie Sedore, Mrs. Victor Skinner and Miss Blanche Breen.

**VANDORF**

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Switzer and children, who have been visiting the past two weeks in Vandorf and Toronto, returned to their home in Longlac Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Morley spent a few days with friends in Kincardine.

The Bible Vacation school continues all this week. Friday evening at 8 o'clock there will be a closing concert and demonstration of the two weeks work. Parents and all interested are invited to attend.

**HALIFAX EXPLOSION**

(Continued From Page 1) to go to the military camp (he's in the army) so we started to walk, there was only one way that we could get out and that was to head for the south shore.

I wish you could have seen the cars and people. By this time it was coming over the radios for those who could to evacuate and all others to stay out of houses and leave all the windows and doors open. We left ours open and unlocked and had only the clothes on our backs—no coats, only Art's suit coat. Poor little Buckey was so scared he was walking out ahead and hurrying us all on. We had just come out of the city when the second big explosion came. We were down in a gully and it was wood on all sides so we didn't feel the concussion too badly but everything shook and of course we lay down on the ground. So that settled it. We didn't lose any time getting out of Halifax. We must have walked about three miles with cars passing us full of people. Finally a couple of chaps picked us up and it seemed that we were lucky because they were going to the south shore and we went down to a little place called Mahone Bay where Art travels and they took us in there.

There was another bad explosion at one o'clock and the worst of all was at four in the morning. We were 60 miles away from Halifax and it shook the building like an earthquake. The last one was at nine o'clock in the morning but they still expected the big one to go sometime that day but the wind took the fire the other way and they were able to get it under control. We couldn't even get a telegram or call through to Halifax until Friday.

Nobody knows what the poor souls went through in Halifax that night. They were bad enough, the two we felt, and I'm thankful we weren't there for any more.

# CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

## WANT-ADS

The rate for "classifieds" is 50 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 65 cents for two insertions; 75 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one-half cent per insertion. Deduct 25 cents for payment within a week. Ten cents for the use of a box number; ten cents for mailing replies.

### HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—Eight-roomed brick house on Prospect Ave., Newmarket. All conveniences. New furnace. \$3,000. Apply W. L. Bosworth, 2 Huron St. W., or phone 102, Newmarket. \*1w24

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For sale—Comfortable 6-roomed home in town. All conveniences. Terms cash. Write Era and Express box 974. \*1w26

### FARM FOR SALE

For sale—100 acre farm. Can be bought with or without buildings. Can take possession immediately. \$2,500. Con. 5, lot 23, East Gwillimbury. Phone 6r13, Sutton, or write Robert F. Davidson, Jr., Belhaven. \*3w24

For sale—Farm, 160 acres on highway at Belhaven. Large, modern, first class barn, ten-room house, stable barn, implement shed, cottage, good water supply. Will negotiate to close estate. Write W. T. Hilton, 58 Langmuir Cres., Toronto 9. c2w28

For sale—Farm, 100 acres excellent land, bank barn. Eight-roomed house, good wells. Situated about 1/2 mile south of Zephyr. For full particulars apply to Mrs. Ches Pickering, Zephyr. c2w26

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Wanted—One or two girls for general housework. To sleep in. Write to P.O. box 421, Aurora. ciw26

Help wanted—Girl or woman for work in good home. Sundays, half day per week off. Phone Newmarket 291w. ciw26

For rent—Two large, bright, furnished rooms, light house-keeping conveniences. Suitable for two business girls. Write Era and Express box 973. \*1w26

For rent—Room with board for employed girl. Bright, airy room, well heated. Good meals. Phone Newmarket 654w. ciw26

For rent—Three unfurnished rooms. Adults only. Apply Era and Express box 968. \*1w26

For rent—Two rooms, downstairs, unfurnished. All conveniences. Heavy wiring. Apply 8 Concession St., Newmarket. \*1w26

For sale—Studio couch in good condition. Apply after 7 o'clock, lower apt., 160 Main St., Newmarket. \*1w26

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For sale—Blue pram, in good condition. Also child's commode. Apply 12 Eagle St., or phone 573, Newmarket. ciw25

For sale—Radio, Westinghouse, 10 tube, in first-class condition, cabinet. Phone 438w2, Newmarket, or write box 34, Holland Landing. \*1w25

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### 17B MERCHANDISE

For sale—at Insley's. White duck pants, fine quality cotton serge. For men only. Ideal for sport or also white cook pants. clw26

For sale—at Insley's. Small boys' work boots, the kind that stand the hard work we specialize in. 11 to 13 1/2 suitable for ages 6 to 12 years. clw26

### 18 ARTICLES WANTED

Wanted to buy—A gasoline-powered washing machine. Phone Newmarket 275m. \*2w26

Wanted to buy—Rocking-horse in good condition. Apply 15 Botsford St. or phone 642j, Newmarket. \*1w26

### 19 USED CAR FOR SALE

For sale—'33 Master sedan Chevrolet, 5 tires, serial No. 603032, \$300 cash. Apply 63 Prospect Ave., after 7 p.m. \*1w26

For sale—Chevrolet car, 1932, serial No. 581002. Five good tires, good motor. Cash price \$325. Apply Gordon Travis, 73 Timothy St., Newmarket. \*1w26

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### 28 LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

For sale—Purebred Yorkshire pigs, boars and sows, from 6 weeks to 4 1/2 months. Will register. William H. Smith, Queensville, phone Mount Albert 2614. \*1w26

For sale—Young saddle mare, also broken single and double. Apply G. H. Sproxton, R. R. 3, Newmarket. \*4w23

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### 29 POULTRY FOR SALE

For sale—200 pullets, 3 months old. Hybrids, Rocks, New Hampshires, also some capons and roosters. 8 D'Arcy St., Newmarket. \*3w26

### 298 POULTRY WANTED

Wanted to buy—All kinds of live poultry. Premium paid above market prices. Will call. Phone Newmarket 657. tf48

### 31 MISCELLANEOUS

Painting—Expert house painting inside and out. Also spray painting. Cottages and barns. Phone Bradford 134 ring 14. \*1w26

### 32 PET SERVICES

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### 33 FARM ITEMS

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### 35 WOODS MILK COOLERS

## THE WAKE-ROBIN

In a delightful letter the other day, one of my readers asked me to write some day soon like I did awhile ago about flowers. She asked me if I'd tell her again which of the spring flowers I said was called the Wake Robin and how it came to have such an attractive name.

A whorl of green, pitcher-like leaves, and each pitcher contains water. They say if a person got lost in a swamp and there were plenty of these pitcher plants growing there he need never die of thirst for since he could not drink the swamp water he could drink from the little pitchers of this peculiar plant. And so it is called the huntsman's cup.

There! Perhaps I'd better stop for this week. You see, when I get started on a subject I love so well I am apt to overdo it. Before I end, however, I want to mention one more and it is queer how your mind can travel down the years in one instant of time! It was one world—I won't ask you to guess—I'll just tell you, for you may not have ever read the Uncle Wiggley stories to your family when they were small, and I really do not know if the Uncle Wiggley stories are still beloved by the small folks. The one word is Pipsissewa, one of the characters in Uncle Wiggley. It is just the Indian name for wintergreen. Oh dear, and speaking of Indian names reminds me of the hard-to-find Indian pipe—that pure white flower that grows on decayed logs. It really does resemble a pipe. We found some beauties once out in the lovely Vivian woods. Dear me, I'm all wound up—I really will have to call a halt. My friend did not expect me to write all this in answer to her query about the Wake Robin—or maybe she did!

## PETER M. ARNOLD, 72, DIES AT QUEENSVILLE

Peter M. Arnold, Queensville, passed away Thursday, July 19, after a week's illness. He suffered a heart attack last February but seemed to recover somewhat before his last illness.

He was 72 years old, having been born in Scott township July 6, 1873. He lived there nine years before moving to Union Street with his parents, the late Alexander and Mrs. Arnold. In 1902 he married the former Elizabeth Cunningham. He farmed for 40 years in the same place, improving his holdings with the construction of new buildings.

He was a member of the board of trustees of S. S. 8, East Gwillimbury, for 11 years. A member of Queensville United church, he was on the church board. In the Methodist days when Keswick and Ravenshoe were included with Queensville, Sharon and Hope in one circuit, he was secretary of the missionary society.

He was interested in Red Cross work, as well as in child welfare. Only three years ago he retired from active farming and moved into the village to make his home on Mill Street.

Following the service in Queensville United church on July 21, interment was in Queensville cemetery. Pall-bearers were Wm. McGill, Wm. Crouch, Titus Peregrine, Gordon Stevens, Wm. Eves and Max Batt.

The floral tributes, expressing esteem and sympathy, were numerous and beautiful.

Mrs. Arnold is survived by his widow, two children, Vera and Irving, three sisters, Mrs. Wilmot Fairbairn (Mary), Mrs. John Fairbairn (Lydia), Mrs. Howard Fife (Sarah), all of Sharon, and a brother, Roy, Newmarket. Another brother and another sister, William and Martha, predeceased him some years ago.

Friends from a distance who attended the service were Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Bell and son, Donald, Barrie, and Mrs. Isa Ferguson, Richmond Hill.

## HAS OPERATION

Mrs. Irwin Collings underwent an appendicitis operation at York County hospital last week. Her condition is reported as favorable.

A pulmonary tuberculosis X-ray of federal government civil servants in Ottawa disclosed that of 36,298 examined, 668 showed signs of early tubercular infection, and 120 were found to require sanatorium treatment.

## NOTICE

W. R. McQuade, proprietor of Aurora Dry Cleaners and Tailors, wishes to announce that his store will be closed Aug. 6 - Aug. 20. c2w28

## CLASSIFIEDS CAN BE OF SERVICE TO YOU

SERVING AURORA AND DISTRICT

## Two Pacific Volunteers, Gormley P.O.W. Home

More Aurora and district boys have arrived home from overseas. Cpl. Vernon Gooding, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Gooding, Gormley, who was a prisoner of war in Germany, is now enjoying leave at his home. A member of the Irish Regiment, he went overseas in 1943 and was taken prisoner in Italy. He was released from imprisonment by Gen. George Patton's army.

At Oak Ridges, Ptes. Bernard "Barney" Lopatriello and Lorne Reed are home on leave before

Pacific training. Pte. Lopatriello, a former member of the Queen's York Rangers (reserve), enlisted in 1943. He served in Canada with the dental corps and then transferred to the infantry. He went overseas last fall and was attached to the Essex Scottish. Pte. Reed is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reed, and previous to enlisting in 1944, was a member of the 1st Aurora Boy Scout troop. He enlisted with the R.C.A.M.C. and went overseas last January.

## Aurora Climbs Out Of Hole Hands Defeat To Markham

By virtue of two wins over Markham juveniles last week, Aurora seniors got on the right side of the ledger for the first time this year, while Aurora juniors balanced their account by defeating Markham bantams.

On Wednesday, July 18, Aurora bantams slugged out a 15-3 win over Markham in the southern village. Keith Kyle pitched a nice game and Ronnie Simmons, Jim McDonald and Kyle banged out homers. Andy Closs drove home three runs with a timely double. Mac Urquhart and Jim Cook replaced Jim Wilson and John King in the line-up.

Forgie pitched a fine game for Markham but received poor support.

## Wilfred Adams Member Of International Body

Wilfred Adams, history master at Aurora high school, is one of five sitting in Toronto which is studying the treatment of American history given in text books at present being used in Canadian schools. There are two Canadians of whom Mr. Adams is one, the other being from Fredericton, N.B., and three American history teachers, two from Washington, D.C., and the other from Baltimore, Md. Dr. S. Hartshorn is secretary of the committee. Text books from grade 6 to grade 13 are being studied.

The committee is part of the Canada-United States committee on education formed under the auspices of the Canada and Newfoundland Education association, the Canadian Teachers' Federa-

tion and the National Conference of Canadian Universities as well as similar groups in the United States. Simultaneously with the committee in Canada studying Canadian texts, and international group is studying United States text books, to find out what is taught in U.S. schools about Canada.

Both groups are entirely "unofficial" but aim to further better understanding between the two countries. They will summarize their reports, and it is presumed these will be referred to the proper educational authorities in both countries. Mr. Adams' appointment to the committee is an honor to the local school and he is enjoying his summer deep in Canadian history tomes, hoping to improve international understanding.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Miss Anna Morton, Mount Albert, visited Mrs. John Closs, Jr., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bodfish, Elora, former Aurora residents, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Browning and family of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Fred Browning.

Miss Jean Murray, Reg. N., Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murray.

Gordon Gunton has returned home after spending a month lumbering in Algonquin Park.

Mrs. Graham Teasdale, Buffalo, N.Y., has returned home after spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Teasdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dawson, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mrs. H. Dawson.

Miss Elizabeth Devins is leaving this week to attend a girls' summer camp near North Bay.

Mrs. Albert Stewart, Timmins, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Attridge and family are on holidays at their cottage in Haliburton.

Aurora Women's Institute held a picnic this afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Kees, Mark Ave.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knowles and Misses Ruth and Nora Knowles are on holidays in Lanark County.

Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall are on holidays at Cobourg and Peterborough.

Mr. Joseph Cheery of Barrie, who formerly resided in the district, was in town last week calling on friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George Walker and Miss Ruth Walker spent Sunday at Sutton West.

Mrs. Sam Clift and Mrs. Gilbert Holland have returned home after being on holidays at Woodland Beach.

Mrs. C. K. Case, Pte. Howard Case and Clifford Case have been on holidays at Beaverton.

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MORRISON'S MEN'S WEAR

Mr. Bill Babcock is convalescing in York County hospital after undergoing an appendicitis operation on Monday. He had spent one week with the Queen's York Rangers Reserve, at Niagara-on-the-Lake, and then returned home after three days.

George Billings, Kettlesby, a graduate of Aurora high school and discharged from the R.C.A.F., has been appointed as teacher for B.B. No. 11, King.

He succeeds Miss Elizabeth McLaren who has accepted a post on the staff of Weston public schools.

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AURORA, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, JULY 26TH, 1945

## AUG. 8 HOLIDAY

Monday, Aug. 8, has been declared a civic holiday in Aurora by Mayor E. E. Linton.

## WITH THE FORCES

LAC John Closs, Mount Hope, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgt. Bill Duckenfield, Aurora, has received his honorable discharge from the army after over five years service. He was stationed at A10 Camp Borden, and has accepted a civil service post.

Sgt. Clifford Corbett, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Capt. Dr. C. J. Devins left on Sunday to join the county reserve unit, the Queen's York Rangers, at Niagara camp.

Pte. Peter Crisdale, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Charles Seath, Farmham, Que., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seath.

Sgt. Henry Starkey, who returned from overseas some months ago after three years overseas, has been discharged from the army and has resumed his old job.

OS Kenyon Davies, Halifax, is spending leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davies.

Pte. John Monk, has been transferred from No. 26 B.T.C., Orillia, to Camp Borden.

Pte. Walter Swindle, Farmham, Que., spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Swindle.

Cpl. Earl Simmerson, who returned from overseas a few months ago, has been discharged from the army and has accepted a position with a grocery firm.

Pte. "Ginger" Pugh, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Richard Pugh.

Home from overseas is Pte. Morley Hillaby of Richmond Hill who saw action in France from D-Day to V.E. Day. Pte. Hillaby, before enlisting for active service, was a member of C Company, Queen's York Rangers.

Ft. Lt. Craig McKenzie, D.F.C., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgt. Ab. Hulse, C.A.C., Camp Borden, is on furlough.

PO Dan. Lawson, Trenton, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Lawson.

Pte. Harold MacMain, Brantford, spent the weekend at his home.

## LEAVES CAMP BORDEN FOR PACIFIC TRAINING

First Aurora boy to join the instructional cadre of Canada's Pacific forces is Sgt. James "Jimmy" Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murray. Sgt. Murray left Camp Borden last Friday for Barriefield camp, and from there will proceed to Camp Breckenridge, Ky. Sgt. Murray, an expert in driving and maintenance, enlisted in 1940 and has been stationed at North Bay, Toronto, and Camp Borden.

Another North York boy, Sgt. Aubrey Ransom of Newmarket, also left on the same troop movement. Sgt. Ransom, an automotive expert, has been with the Armored Corps since 1943 and will serve as a technical adjutant in his new posting.

## BANTAM

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Stouffville 2 1 .666  
Aurora 2 2 .500  
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\*One game not reported.

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## WILLOW BEACH

Wilfred Graves spent the week-end at his home.

Mrs. Harton is visiting relatives in London and vicinity.

Pte. Murray Sinclair and Miss Olive Warrick were united in marriage in Toronto on Saturday, July 21. They are spending their honeymoon at Willow Beach and Haliburton.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson spent Friday in Toronto.

**CAMP SUCCESSFUL**  
Rev. Henry Cotton reports that 54 boys and girls from Newmarket have gone to the North York Memorial camp so far this summer with three girls' camps still to go.

Joan Chapman spent a few days visiting her uncle, Mr. Jack McEachern, Pefferlaw, recently.

Classifieds usually bring results.

## HOPE

**HOBBY CLUB SOCIAL  
TO BE HELD JULY 27**

Church services will be held at 9:45 next Sunday.

There will be no church services during the month of August.

The Hobby club met at the home of Mrs. S. Walker last Tuesday with a fairly good attendance. Every one enjoyed Mrs. Wilmet's description and lectures of her trip to Vancouver.

The Hobby club will hold their annual social evening at the home of Mrs. B. McNern on Friday evening, July 27. A program of sports is being arranged. Bring your husband and family. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Barker, Columbus, Ohio, visited Geo. Barker this week.

Mrs. N. Haines, Toronto, and Mrs. Ray Haines had dinner on Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. D. Pottage.

Mrs. Beverley, Uxbridge, and Mrs. Mount, Sr., paid a visit at Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Mount's on Saturday.

Grace and Janeen Allison visited Mrs. Garnet Park, Franklin, last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Lewis, Edgeley, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Wilmet and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Fry spent the weekend at Minden.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meek and Wenda, Toronto, and Miss Marion Sedore, Mount Albert, were visitors of Mrs. S. Boyd on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Boyd visited Mr. Harold Boyd, Bradford, on Sunday.

**HOLLAND LANDING  
PTE. SELBY ATKINSON  
HOME FROM GERMANY**

Mr. B. Pearce, who has been home for the last two weeks visiting with his family and his son, Tim, recently returned from overseas, left for Fort William on Wednesday morning.

Pte. Selby Atkinson, who has been in Germany for some time, returned home this week.

Mr. Thos. Grey, Boston, Mass., and Mr. Geo. Grey, Winnipeg, Man., visited Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Sheppard on Friday.

Miss Grace Campbell, Reg. N., who has been home on two weeks' holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Campbell, has returned to her duties in the East General hospital, Toronto.

Mr. Leslie Rowe, who has undergone an operation in the Western hospital, Toronto, is getting along nicely.

LAC Bruce Kitching, Yarmouth, N.S., and Mrs. Kitching are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kitching.

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**DOWN THE CENTRE**

Newmarket camp lacrosse team made its debut of the season last Friday night against a combined junior-senior Mimico team at the big suburban box which houses the Mimico and Lakeshore teams. As might be guessed the soldier boys went down to defeat 14-2 but not before they had won the respect of both their opponents and the fans. It was a case of more condition, younger legs and more competition for the winners.

Lieut. Logan, who is looking after the gutted stick artists from No. 23, expects to have a home game at the camp next week. The opposition will likely be provided by the Canadian armored corps team led by a former officer at Newmarket, Capt. Lew Cordingley. Capt. Cordingley once played for Weston and was also in the professional ranks. There are at least seven Ontario armed forces centres which are playing lacrosse this year.

Canada's national game is as per usual having a gala season over in the neighboring county of Peel where the Peel Lacrosse League is attracting big crowds, with Brampton, Nortonville, Cheltenham, Norval, Inglewood and Caledon in action.

Joe Scheritz, the classy junior defenceman from Milton who will likely see action this winter with Boston Bruins, keeps in shape playing for Norval. That centre can set an example for most small Ontario centres. Under the leadership of Rev. Leonard Self, there are organized teams in most sports, a fine community program and adequate and spacious playing fields including one of the finest lacrosse boxes in Ontario and plans are just getting started. Mr. Self gets out and plays with the boys, takes his coat off and goes to work on the building projects and has generally done a grand job with no strings attached.

Doug Aikens, who played with Richmond Hill in tri-county boxdays (he was a particular bete noir for Bill Patrick) is with Nortonville and we see he gets his share of goals as he used to do. Jack Johnston is also listed as playing with Nortonville and we suspect that this is none of other than the same Jack Johnston who played defense for Aurora and later with Richmond Hill. Young Gowland, who played hockey for St. Andrew's College a couple of years ago, is playing with other teams in the group along with one of the well-known Creighton brothers.

Red Storey, former Barrie all-round athlete and perhaps best known for rugby with Toronto Argos and lacrosse with Orillia Terriers, is now one of the leading lacrosse referees in Quebec where a big year is being had by the senior circuit.

A memorial trophy has been provided by Richmond Hill lawn bowlers in memory of three of the late leading club members of other days, Albert Glass, George Wallwin and E. T. Stephens. The competition will be held August 6. The Hill club deserves credit for its enterprise.

Ace Yake, back from overseas, suggests it is time some of the sports fans in Aurora did something to honor the memory of such fine lads as Wes Heaney, Bruce Stiles, Jack Cowles, Bob Turp, Bill Mugford and Bill Simmons who paid the supreme sacrifice in the fight for freedom. We think his suggestion has considerable merit and we shall be glad to hear from sports fans of the district on the subject. The same idea applies to all communities in North York. We know there will be big community efforts made but a little special something from the sports fans would be most timely. How about it fellows?

Claremont has arranged for a gala sports day on civic holiday with baseball, softball and soccer as the main attractions. Barrie stages a big regatta the same day (we saw it last year and it is well worth seeing). Don't forget the date is August 6.

Hon. Earl Rowe, genial member for Dufferin-Simcoe and well known throughout North York, has come back to harness racing with a bang this year and is doing his own driving. Earl has a new horse, Dorothy Vernon, which is one of the sensations of the current season and may well develop into the best horse in the history of the Rowe stables. In the 2.28 clash for three-years-olds at Orangeville, she came down in front in three straight heats against tough opposition to win \$300 and the Goodwill Farm trophy (Maple). Now at Dufferin track, Dorothy Vernon is again making racing history and Earl is at the reins. It is one of the things we like to think about most in our way of life, that our members of parliament and leaders have the same ideas and common touch as those who elected them.

Turning from trotters and pacers to the so-called "sport of kings", we notice Joe McClellan, who trains John Stuart's jumpers, sustained a fractured shoulder as he was tossed from a nag at one of the New York tracks. Shepperdon, great Canadian five-year-old and pride of the Fred Schelke stables at Gormley, ran fourth in his first start at Garden City, N.Y., the track where the big horse sustained

his leg injury last year. According to all reports, he is rounding into shape nicely and should shortly be able to enter the win column. Incidentally, next Monday Mr. and Mrs. Schelke celebrate their 29th wedding anniversary. Might be a good time for big Shep to show his stuff by way of a present of appreciation.

Elizabeth Arden is a name well known to women and by a good many husbands too and, we presume, a few sweethearts of the male variety. It will also be known more widely for those who follow racing for Mrs. E. Graham Lewis (her correct name), now in her eighth year as an owner of horseflesh, is the owner of Mist O' Gold, winner of the Eastview Stakes, Colony Boy, who is scheduled for fall clean-ups, and Beaugay (sounds like a perfume), the present leading two-year-old in the U.S.A.

Beaugay has won four straight and some \$75,000. Last year Mrs. Lewis paid out \$300,000 for some new horses and the large investment appears as if it will more than repay. The stables are known as Maine Chance. Incidentally one of the most interesting things about it all is that Elizabeth Arden was born Elizabeth Graham at Woodbridge in good old North York of a Scotch-Canadian family. Her success in the business advertising and racing world sets a shining example for those who say there's no such thing as the "golden touch".

Ajax soccer team, twice beaten by Newmarket camp soccer team last year, is practically an all-Claremont team which means the Pickering township centre can depend upon its own boys to form a first rate eleven no matter what the ultimate fate of war industries.

Doug James, coach of the Markham junior hockey team and an ex-Markham player, has gone over to England to join his wife as we predicted a few weeks ago. We understand he will do some overseas hockey promoting. When he was overseas with the R.C.A.F., Doug got in the ground-work. Those going overseas now as civilians, unless on a special government mission or having special drag, must assure the department of external affairs they intend to remain over there for a two-year period when it is expected normal traffic conditions may be resumed.

From out of the past we saw two familiar softball figures of other years recently. Remember Pee-Wee Simpson, the half-pint who hurled for the first softball team ever fielded at Newmarket camp? Well, the diminutive one can still toss the big apple effectively and is performing for camp headquarters team at Borden where he has been stationed ever since leaving No. 23 B.T.C.

Another ex-Newmarket player around is Blackie Hodge, the colored baseball and softball catcher. Hodge is also with camp headquarters and now plays the part for the Borden boys.

Nels Findlay, the former Rich-

mond Hill player, is pitching nice ball this season for Amalgamated Electric in the Toronto industrial intermediate A series. The electricians were champions last season. Findlay also performs for Roselawn seniors, the present leaders of the Wanless Park league, much to the delight of Charlie Ryan.

Len McMullen, another former Richmond Hill player, is not having much luck with his Unionville A.C. team in the Dentonia senior league. At last accounts they had won but one start in 14 tries, although in many cases the margin was very slim. McMullen, however, could not be blamed, for aside from managerial duties, he played a three-star game.

Joint McComb appears to be

pitching the best ball of his entire career this season and the wiseacres say it is because for the first time he is receiving grade A catching with Roy Murden giving him an edge over the batter in most cases. We note Murden has broken into the Davissville league but that is no surprise for he is of Beaches league calibre.

Gordy Wright, who was on

the mound for Ostrander's when they defeated Newmarket, is the

same lad who pitched tournament ball at Mount Albert, Laskay, Unionville, etc., in pre-war days.

In the navy, Wright pitched in the Beaches league before enlisting and since the Davissville league is rated as B, there is quite a furor because he is an A calibre pitcher. Quite a bit of small potatoes, as the real difference lies not so much in the pitching as the fielding and hitting, as witness hurlers with the exception of Ecclestone and Turner, getting by nicely with better teams.

Bill Paisley, one of the best in-

fielders to ever play for New-

market camp, is now stationed at

No. 28 B.T.C., Orillia, and is

playing ball there. Murray

Dewey, sensational young pitch-

ing star of Beaches and army

team, has been transferred from

Brantford to Simco camp. Dan

Vanehoff, former Aurora junior

hockey player, later with Grav-

enhurst, Midland and Petawawa

camp, was wounded overseas but

is now recovered and stationed

in England at Aldershot camp.

Doug Gilespie, the Orangeville

over Mike Forte of Brooklyn in

a bantamweight go at Union City, N.J. He has established good connections and should make quite a bit of moola before really getting the acid test.

Six million golf balls will be manufactured this season in the

U.S.A. but is only considered about 20 percent of the annual output needed so it will be quite a while before the supply of golf balls is all that it might be. Larry Molineaux told us the other day

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## DOWN THE CENTRE

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that orchids were in order for Pop Nisbett of Aurora who has the Aurora course in the best shape in its entire history despite shortage of help and the fact that he is running the club his first year. Larry wants the world to know about it, so there you are chum, "Pop" gets the orchid of the week. Bill Chriss, who played a swell game of hockey for Richmond Hill two years ago, besides being one of the best young catchers in Toronto softball, is playing a dandy game of soccer for Macedonians St. George, one of Toronto's leading juvenile soccer clubs.

Gundar Haegg, the Swedish speedster, set a new world's record for the mile recently by lowering Arne Andersen's mark of 4:02.6 to 4:01.4, the fastest speed any human has ever been clocked in. Haegg, in his American appearances, never even came close to the marks he made in Sweden, which proves we know not what, except that if a four-minute mile is ever going to be made it looks like the Scandinavians have the formula for it.

Oshawa will re-enter the rugby world next fall and Major Jim MacBrien has been named president and Mo Charney, former Argonaut footballer, has been named coach. Oshawa has produced some fine teams in the past and will doubtless do so again.

Intermediate softball play-downs will find Barrie represented in the B series by Wes Perry and his Harmony Grillers and perhaps in the A series with C.N.R. headed by the Marshall brothers and Ken Guilfoyle ready for action.

Murray Clendening, former Stouffville hardballer now running a garage at Timmins, has been on holidays in the district and looks the picture of health. Doesn't play baseball any more though. Also saw Tubby Barrow, former Richmond Hill-Aurora hockeyist, and his bride from Winnipeg, where Barrow is stationed with the R.C.A.F. Claims he's retired from all sports now.

Don't forget that big carnival being staged on August 1 by the Aurora Lions. The Leos have done grand job for kid hockey and kid baseball in Aurora, the same as the Lions clubs throughout the district. A street dance, lucky draws, etc., will be featured. See you there!

Netherlands cover an area one thousandth that of the U.S. Nevertheless, the density of its population is 15 times that of here last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cull, Toronto, spent last week with their son here.

Misses Lorraine and Elaine Alexander are visiting in Toronto.

KESWICK

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy and two sons of Windsor are holidaying at the home of Mrs. Kennedy's sister, Mrs. R. W. Serrick.

Mrs. Russell Donnell, Toronto, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Brasier, at their cottage on the lake.

Mrs. Munro King and son, Reagh, Toronto, are visiting Mrs. King's mother, Mrs. Wm. Holborn. Mr. King was up for the weekend.

Miss Olive Niles, Newmarket, is here nursing Mrs. Wm. Prosster at Elmcroft. Mrs. Ben Johnston, Sutton, is also staying with her parents at Elmcroft.

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Robert Sproxton, R. R. 3, Newmarket, 11 years old on Friday, July 27.

Helen Ethelyne Rae, Virginia, four years old on Saturday, July 28.

Freddie Mitchell, Cedar Valley, 14 years old on Saturday, July 28.

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Miss Pearl Gynne has hollyhocks in her garden that measure 120 to 128 inches in height.

Mr. George Pearson underwent operation for appendicitis last Thursday in York County hospital. He is progressing favorably and is expected to be home soon.

A ball game between the fourth line and Queensville was played here on Monday evening. The score was 12 to 10 in favor of Queensville.

Rev. H. Shannon conducted the morning service last Sunday at the new church at Pine Orchard. Mr. Garrett, Newmarket, was the guest speaker at Queensville.

The ball game played at Queensville on Wednesday of last week between Sharon and Queensville resulted in a win for the home team with a score of 16 to 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cowles, Toronto, Mrs. Allan Howard and Mrs. Allan Mann, Brantford, are spending a week with Mrs. R. A. Putman.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lepard spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Lepard's sister, Mrs. Pat. O'Gorman, Beaverton.

Mrs. Ralph Cupples went on a boat trip Monday to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Gibney and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cupples spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Westcott, Beaverton.

Mrs. Wilson McCullough, Toronto, is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Rutledge.

Miss Grace Westcott, Beaverton, is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. Don Thompson.

Ervin Marles, Murray Rutledge, Don Thompson and Francis McFarland spent the weekend with the Young Men's Bible class at Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Morris, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John E. Ianson.

Mrs. Geo. Hale and children, Huntsville, are visiting Mrs. Hale's mother, Mrs. Stewart Travis.

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Sgt. Jim Oliver, Pte. Lorne Paisley and Spr. Ken Armstrong, who have all recently returned from overseas, were also honored guests at the party on Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Terry, Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ramsden, Ottawa, were calling on friends in town on Sunday evening.

Miss Gertrude Moore, Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. Moore.

Mr. Horace Brown has returned to his work at Lethbridge internment camp after his furlough at the home of his brother-in-law, Mr. Karl Lees.

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Mr. and Mrs. Reg. Willbee, Margaret and Joan Brown spent the weekend in Haliburton.

Mr. and Mrs. Aude Fleury and Mrs. Hulda Fleury accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stevens were recent guests of their cousin, Ed Spenceley.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens left last week for their home in Saskatchewan after a pleasant holiday among relatives and friends.

Miss Marion Spenceley and some friends from Toronto spent Sunday at the home of Miss Spenceley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spenceley.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Fawell and Mrs. Roy Weir, Adanac, Sask., spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Eliza Riesebrough and other relatives. They left on Wednesday for Toronto and southern points before returning home.

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